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It is so completely obvious that the settlement worked out between Microsoft and John Ashcroft is so fatally flawed and written *BY* Microsoft, that the only remedy that is available is to throw the whole thing out and tell Microsoft and their lobbyists to try again.

The DOJ anti-trust division knows this, and I am sure that the attorneys there that actually have integrity are fuming about the way Ashcroft and Bush have:

- 1) cut their funding
- 2) took remedies off the table before even entering in to settlement talks
- 3) completely and utterly capitulated to Microsoft's ever want

It really makes me sick what a little(or large in Bush's case) campaign contribution can get you.

JUSTICE SHOULD NOT BE FOR SALE IN THIS COUNTRY.

I hope the American Anti-Trust Institute lawsuit against the DOJ and Microsoft prevails. There were so many secret meetings between the DOJ and Microsoft in violation of the Tunney Act that it makes Cheney's secret Energy Task Force look like a bake sale.

P.S. Unlike Bush and Ashcroft, I am not afraid to put my name on my beliefs:

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